# \$500 FEE FIGURES IN WRIGHT CASE

Alleged Payment by Bank Is Subject Before Subcommittee.

# WITNESSES TESTIFY IN INVESTIGATION TODAY

Corporation Counsel Syme's Observation on Services Rendered by Judge Features Hearing.

Judge Daniel Thew Wright by the nited States Savings Bank for services with a claim of the bank against the National Bureau of Literature and Art, was practically the sole rights" for women object of the inquiry in the Wright impeachment case before the McCoy sub-

One of the most interesting sentences hich fell from the lips of the witnesses ame from Corporation Counsel Conrad. Syme, who had been counsel for the ink when the \$500 is said to have been id, and who had given his opinion as the prepriety of Judge Wright receive this money. committee today.

to the propriety of Judge Wright receiving this money.

If the services rendered by Judge Wright were business services, and not egal services, then it was certainly proper for him to take the money.

Mr. Syme also ventured the assertion that if he had saved the bank \$25,000 are Judge Wright is said to have done, be would have charged \$5,000 instead matter of the nve-hundred-dol-

fee is connected with the impeach-it charge that Judge Wright has ac-ted fees for legal services.

# Cashier Zepp First Witness. Wilbur H. Zepp, cashier of the United

tes Savings Bank, was the first witss again today. He was asked if he ad any books from the bank showing of money for stock by ribers. He said he had none with

subscribers. He said he had none with him, but would endeavor to find the re-ords the committee wants.

Mr Zepp testified that the \$500 was paid to Judge Wright following a motion of C. K. Berryman, a director of the bank at that time. The motion stated that payment was to be made for services rendered in the affairs between the bank and the national bureau of literature and art. The motion was adopted, after a second by James M. Baker.

M. Haker.
William E. G. Penny, 2644-13th street
northwest, an employe of the District
government and a "frector of the bank,
said that the question of paying Judge
Wright \$500 had been brought up by
James M. Baker.
"He said Judge Wright had saved
counsel fees," marrated Mr. Penny, who "He said Judge Wright had saved counsel fees," narrated Mr. Penny, who also said that W. T. Davis, another director, asked some questions about the payment of the fee.

# "Baker Did Most of the Talking."

"Mr. Baker did most of the talking." he continued, "although Mr. Berryman made the motion to make the payment." He said that Charles A. Dougass and Conrad Syme were counsel for

a claim. I don't know whether it was counsel fees or not."

In answer to questions by Representative Beall the witness said he was satisfied with the statements made that it was perfectly proper to make the payment to Judge Wright. Representative Beall brought out a statement that whatever Judge Wright had done in the chaims matter was different from what he would ordinarily do in the course of his duties as a bank director.

Mr. Penny also said he did not know that character of work Judge Wright ad done.

"Were any legal services involved.""

"Were any legal services involved?"
asked Judge Wright's attorney, J. J.

arlington. "I don't know," was the answer.

"Were these services such that any one not an attorney could perform them?" asked Representative Nelson.

"I do not think so," answered Mr.

# enny. Made No Positive Answers.

W. T. Davis, a director of the bank, and that the money was paid to Judge wright before the services had been endered. He also said, in regard to Baker as to the payment of \$500 to Judge Wright:

Judge Wright:

Baker acted as Judge Wright's atiorney in the matter."

Mr. Davis could not make positive
answers as to whether Judge Wright
had asked for the money or not. He
did not know whether Judge Wright
was present at the meeting of the directors.

"Have you taken sides in this con-troversy between the Coopers and Judge Wright?" asked Representative

"Oh. no." said Davis.
"You seconded the motion of T. E.
'coper calling for Judge Wright's resig-nation, did you not?" asked Mr. Dar-Yes, I did that, but you wouldn't call

Yes, I did that, but you wouldn't call that taking sides, would you?"

Do you know what the matter was that Judge Wright attended to between the bank and the bureau of literature?" ontinued Mr. Darlington.

I do not." said Mr. Davis.

The witness was asked about the counsel for the bank. He said that "Mr. Syme was carried along as counsel."

What does that mean?"

I don't know exactly. He was just arried."

# Presented Pocketful of Letters.

orporation Counsel Syme, who had dvised the bank in reference to the opriety of the payment of \$500 to Judge Wright, presented a pocketful of letters written between him and Charles A. Dougless and bank officials.

They had not been put in evidence at the time The Star's report closed, but Mr. Syme said he had given as his opinion that it was proper for the bank opinion that it was proper for the bank to pay \$5.60 to Judge Wright. He said he had given no opinion as to Judge Wright receiving the money. He and Mr. Douglass had talked about the matter on the telephone and Mr. Syme had been asked to change the phraseology of one of the letters.

Testimony indicated that the change was suggested to prevent Mr. Syme from making an opinion as to the property of paying Judge Wright for legal services.

Mr. Darlington quoted from the Cooper case in the courts where Mr. Syme had and it was perfectly proper for the sige to take the money, and that he still believed it to be proper.

# "Peace Day" in the Schools. lay 18 is "Peace day" in the public

noois, and in view of the troubles in device plans are being made for a arger observance of the date than usual this year. Mrs. Belva A. Lockwood is appealing to all the clergymen arsist in making the day memorable and thus registering a vigorous appeal for continued peace for the nation.

# Progressive.

From the Saturday Journal. "Is he an eye doctor? Why. I thought e was a chiropodist."
"He used to be. He began at the foot worked up, you see.

# CENTRAL CHURCH HERE IS URGED BY BISHOPS

Southern Methodist Quadrennial Conference.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., May 6 .mewhat later than the scheduled time of opening the seventeenth quadrennial and announced the devotional service.

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The roll call by Rev. A. F. Watkins, secretary of the last conference; the appointment of conference committees and the reading of the bishop's address reviewing the work of the past four years are expected to consume today's session.

The address of the bishop reviewed the reorganization of the missionary department of the church, ordered at the conference at Asheville, N. C. in 1910, reported action on the question of federation with the Methodist Episcopal Church, and discussed the question of "laity rights" for women.

# Bow to Will of Court.

Special attention was given, however, to the bishops' position in regard to Vander-bilt University at Nashville, to which instituton Andrew Carnegie proposed to donate \$1,000,000.

any opinion from any attorney as to the propriety of the acceptance of a fee by Judge Wright.

"Did you understand this \$500 was paid for counsel fees," asked Representative subcommittee consists of Senators Smith. Maryland, chairman; Pomerene, Hollis, low rate week-end excursions to Old

# LOCAL FREIGHT CASE SUBMITTED TO I. C. C.

Merchants Expected Within

a Short Time.

With the presentation of oral argu-Bishop Wilson, sentor member of the case closely that the commission will that has ever yet been held. bishopric, called the great body to order render its decision within a short time. The attorneys were limited to two hours,

ice D. Rosenberg, while Henry F. Bikle of the memorable national holiday has railroad and allied lines and M. P. Cal-loway for the Southern railway and allied greatest amount of amusement to the greatest number possible."

# Claims Charge for Service.

Some stress was laid by Attorney Hoover on the letter sent by George D. Dixon of the Pennsylvania road to the Phila-

that when the delivery service was introduced a charge had been made for the university. The Tennessee suprements that the service had been charged for any attempt to direct the university. The decree of the court leaves to the church a mere shadow of connection with the university. The decree of the court leaves to the church a mere shadow of connection with the university. The decree of the court leaves to the church a mere shadow of connection with the university. The decree of the court leaves to the church a mere shadow of connection with the university. The decree of the court leaves to the church a mere shadow of connection with the university. The decree of the court leaves to the church a mere shadow of connection with the university of the institution or assume any responsibility for it.

The decree of the court leaves to the church a mere shadow of connection with the university itself bas been affirmed to be our own, and which by hundreds of actions taken in our general and annual conferences and in the board of trust of the university itself has been affirmed to be the property of the church. Indeed, the ownership of the university by the church was never questioned for more than thirty years by any one within or without the church.

But as law-abding citizens we bow to the decision of this court. This, how to the decision of this court. This, how the decision of this court. This, how to the decision of this court. This, how the thing the court recently decided the church through the court recently decided the church through the decision of the court leaves to the decision of the court of the university of the university by the church was never questioned for making the court of the university of the university of the university of the university of the cou

Point Comfort and Norfolk, Va. These tickets are on sale Fridays and Saturdays of each week, and the limit has been extended to allow patrons to return as late as Monday evening following. Tickets can also be purchased, including transportation, stateroom and accommo-dations. at the Chamberlin Hotel, Old Point Comfort, at reduced rates.

If you want work, read the want col-umns of The Star.

# FOR INDEPENDENCE DAY

One of Subjects for Discussion at Decision on Petition of Washington Meeting of Committeemen Called for District Branch Delegates Preparing Tomorrow at District Building.

Citizens of Washington are to be urged Movement for More Modest Designs ments before the full interstate com- to subscribe early for the Fourth of merce commission this morning, the July celebration, according to member conference of the Methodist Episcopal Washington rate case, an outgrowth of the citizens' Independence day celescent Church South convened in St. Luke's the store door delivery case, was sub-Methodist Church this morning. The mitted this morning, and it is believed er Oliver P. Newman hopes to make this conference will extend over three weeks by those who have been following the year's celebration unique and the best

The committee has planned a program that will, it is believed, have the co-op-eration and indorsement of all the citizens.

"Every feature," say members of the committee, "spells joy, outdoor life and the pursuit of inspiring incident and avocation amused with great spectacles, but even will be dined at a great community pic nic at approximate cost. Every minute been planned for so as to provide the

# Invites Co-Operation.

The citizens' Independence day celebration committee is asking, therefore, the co-operation of everybody in Washington in the gathering of a fund that will make

rates, and declared that the roads had produced as a witness a man who knew absolutely nothing about the making of retered the church. Indeed, the ownership of the produced as a witness a man who knew absolutely nothing about the making of retes, and admitted that he had never made a rate.

"But as law-shouth the church was now how to the decision of this cours." We how to the decision of this cours has been done and decided."

The conference was urged to "take such action as may be deemed necessary to secure the speedy and creditable erection of a church in this city, adequately representative of our Methodism," and on the question of "laity of course," said Commissioner Clements, "looking back, it would seem to be a strange economic Proposition.

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"A had would not therefore, make for the greater efficiency of our church as a whole in any of the regions occupied by it."

That no new bishops would be elected at the present general conference was indicated.

HEARING ON ALLEY BILLS.

District Residents to Appear Before Senate Subcommittee.

A hearing on the various proposed allering on the prese



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# CLUBS TO MEET JUNE 9

to Attend Convention at Chicago.

in Women's Clothes Already

Arrangements are being completed by elegates, alternates and members of the District of Columbia branch of the Federation of Women's Clubs to attend the blennial convention of the organization at Chicago, June 9 to 19.

The delegates who were appointed from the District branch at a meeting last month are Mrs. Ellis Logan, president The public will not only be of the branch: Mrs. George T. Smallwood, Miss Celynda W. Ford, Mrs. Anfile L. W. Pearce and Mrs. E. H. Pitcher. The alternates are Mrs. Emma Shelton

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Knight and Mrs. T. F. Rorke.

In connection with the convention the principal business is to come under the home economics department, and Dr. Philander P. Claxton, United States commissioner of education, and Dr. Charles F. Langworthy, chief of the nutrition division of the Department of Agriculture, have signified their intention of delivering addresses at the meeting.

Woman's Dress Criticised.

The principal question to be discussed

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# Provisions of Resolution

taste or sense of decency

The proposed resolution is: a leading member of the department Whereas the General Federation of has sent out a bulletin, in which she Vomen's Clubs, in convention assem- Mexico. bled, view with disapproval the present extreme tendency among American the past twelve months, the subject of women's dress has been brought to my women to follow designs in dress, re-

women's dress has been brought to my attention. Women have written to me, both personally and as manager of the bureau of information of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, complaining that they were unable any longer to buy skirts which did not hinder locomedition; men have stopped me on the street to call to my attention some particularly noticeable costume tone of those which covered everything and concealed nothing), and have asked if there was not something that could be done about it; social workers have discussed in my presence the effect which dress has upon morals; advocates of the dance have urged.

women to follow designs in dress, regardless of beauty, comfort or modesty; and whereas, these objectionable designs in women's clothes emanate largely. If not entirely, from foreign houses, and.

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Whereas these objectionable designs in women's clothes emanate largely. If not entirely, from foreign materials hinders a normal development of American art and manufacture; be it, therefore.

Resolved. That this convention, in full social workers have discussed in my presence the effect which dress has upon morals; advocates of the dance have urged.

Resolved. That this convention in full resolved about on the rights and privileges of the individual, places itself on record as heartily in favor of the movement of the modest.

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can Activities of Certain Attorneys. Representative Madden of Illinois, on the floor of the House yesterday, criti

cised the activities of certain attorneys

who have made considerable money, he said, out of stirring up revolution in "It is treasonable," he said, "for men in the Hibbs building and other places to make trouble continually in Mexico, and this treason ought to be made punishable

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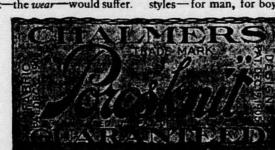
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